

MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS.

MINING STOCK MARKET DULL

Elks' Convention Attractions Keep Many Brokers Away.

DEMAND FOR GOOD STOCKS.

Outside Buying Orders Call for the More Secure Class of Issues—Prices Continue Strong.

Reminiscent of the days of small trading and stationary prices of early this summer was the session of the mining exchange this morning. A very small proportion of the brokers were present and outside of the filling of some scattering orders there was little trading. The total business, involving 15,865 shares, required but \$4,132.75.

Trading was in the better class of issues and as the buying was almost entirely for the purpose of filling outside orders, the market is really strong at the present time is quite apparent. The Elks' convention week attractions are keeping busy many of the more active brokers and the market has been a little better than it has been in the past few days.

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Quotations and transactions were as follows:

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Alax	33	35
Aldon	30	30
Alco	6.00	6.00
Anchor	2.90	3.25
Bullion-Beck	2.25	2.40
Carissa	2.00	2.10
Con. Mercur	1.75	1.84
Daily	61.75	62.00
Daly-West	2	2
Dalton and Lark	18	26
Dexter	1.10	1.12 1/2
Eagle and Blue Bell	4.85	4.95
Grand Central	1.10	1.60
Horn Silver	8 1/2	9 1/2
Ingot	1.45	1.60
Lower Mammoth	2.25	2.34
Mammoth	2.25	2.34
May Day	3 1/2	4 1/4
Northern Light	7	8.00
Ontario	29 1/2	29 3/4
Petro	21 1/2	22 1/2
Sacramento	75.00	82.00
Silver King	6 1/2	6 1/2
Silver Shield	1.00	1.25
Swansea	30	33
South Swansea	28	29 1/4
Tesora	15	16
U. S. Con.	62	63 1/2
Victor	10	10 1/2
Yale	10	10 1/2

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Ben Butler	14	24
California	92	93 1/2
Century	3 1/2	3 3/4
Dalton	3 1/2	3 3/4
Golden Eagle	3 1/2	3 3/4
Joe Bowers	3 1/2	3 3/4
La Reina	3 1/2	3 3/4
Little Chief	3 1/2	3 3/4
Marathon	3 1/2	3 3/4
Martha Washington	3 1/2	3 3/4
Tetro	3 1/2	3 3/4
Victor	3 1/2	3 3/4
West Morning Glory	3 1/2	3 3/4
Yankee Con.	3 1/2	3 3/4

SALES.
Con. Mercur—100 at 2.00 1/2.
Grand Central—100 at 4.87 1/2; 100 at 4.90.
Ontario—65 at 9.00.
Sacramento—50 at 29; 500 at 29 1/2; 1,000 at 29 1/2—8; 300 at 29 1/2. Total 2,500.
Silver Shield—500 at 6; 1,000 at 6 1/2. Total 1,500.
Ten Butler—1,000 at 14 1/2—8; 300 at 14 1/2—8; 500 at 14 1/2—8; 300 at 14 1/2—8. Total 2,100.
La Reina—1,000 at 7.
Martha Washington—1,000 at 5 1/2.

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100 Eagle and Blue Bell at 1.10.
1,000 May Day at 2 1/4.
400 Century at 3 1/2.
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DIXIE MINE AFFAIRS.

Southern Utah Proposition is in Excellent Condition.

Manager Grant Snyder of the Dixie mine near St. George expects to return to that property within a few days. In speaking of the proposition Mr. Snyder states that for a number of months only enough bullion has been produced at the old smelter to pay expenses while the new 30-ton plant is being erected as quickly as possible. It will, according to Mr. Snyder, be completed within the next 60 days. The mine is looking first class with great quantities of about 20 per cent copper ore blocked out. The management is extremely hopeful of having a very nice producer before many months.

HIGHLAND BOY OUTPUT.
Value of Bullion Approximates \$175,000 Monthly.

The Highland Boy mine and smelter are nowadays making a most magnificent record and from good authority it is learned that the monthly output is falling very little short of \$175,000. The mines are looking splendid and

with considerable ease 500 tons of ore are forwarded to the smelter each day. The smelter is working as if charmed, steadily, with few accidents and at full capacity. The result is that nearly 15,000 pounds of copper bullion will be produced this month, which will carry nearly 90 per cent copper and which will easily average \$100 to the ton in gold.

The Utah company, which owns the Highland Boy, is certainly in a position to pay dividends and that it does not do so is excused on the ground that the bullion produced and handled through the United Metals Selling company has not been disposed of but has been held for better prices.

MINING NOTES.

Six cars of Yankee ore will be marketed either today or tomorrow.

The Store of Bingham has six carloads of fine ore awaiting settlement today.

The Conklin sampler was in receipt this morning of 18 cars of ore from Tintic.

Manager Packard of the Star Consolidated has a two-car shipment awaiting sampling.

Senator Clark's Ophir Hill is on today's market with 14 cars of lead-silver concentrates.

The Bullion-Beck and Uncle Sam managements each have five cars of ore awaiting sampling.

Carissa gold ore to the extent of three carloads will be forwarded to the Bingham Con. smelter today.

South Swansea iron ore to the extent of four carloads will be forwarded to the American smelters today.

One and a half carloads of the Ophir Hill silver ore is being shipped to the present time is quite apparent.

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MARKET WELL SUSTAINED.

Taking of Profits by Room Traders Wiped Out a Few Advances—Amalgamated Copper Scored Small Loss.

New York, Aug. 14.—Stocks showed quite uniform gains of a moderate fraction on large opening dealings. Exceptions to the advancing tendency were shown by Amalgamated Copper, St. Louis Southwestern and a few minor stocks. Amalgamated Copper's loss of 1 1/2 caused a sympathetic break of 3 1/2 in Anaconda. Elsewhere the movement was unevenly upward; Rock Island rising 3/4; Toledo, St. Louis and Western preferred, and United States Express 2, and Toledo, St. Louis and Western, Canadian Pacific, Louisville, Norfolk and Western, Colorado Fuel, Kanawha and Michigan and Evansville and Terre Haute, 1 to 1 1/2. The market became dull and easier before 11 o'clock.

Room traders took profits in Norfolk and Western and its gain was wiped out with some effect on other coalers. Some few other active stocks were easier but the general market was sustained by the strength of St. Paul, Southern Pacific, Chicago and Alton, the Wheeling and Lake Erie stock and Wisconsin Central preferred which were lifted a point or more. Amalgamated rallied to above 64. United States Express yielded 2. Wells Fargo sold at 240, a gain over night of 12 points.

Bonds were steady.

There were no movements in excess of a fraction in prominent stocks during the noon hour. Western Union stiffened nearly a point towards the end of the hour.

MONEY AND BONDS.

Money on call, firm, at 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4 1/2 to 5 per cent.

Sterling exchange, weak with actual business in bankers' bills at 4 1/2; United States Express yielded 2. Wells Fargo sold at 240, a gain over night of 12 points.

Posted rates, 4.86 1/2 to 4.88 1/2. Commercial bills, 4.84 1/2 to 4.86 1/2. Mexican dollars, 4 1/2. Government bonds—Steady; ref. 2s reg. 107 1/2; do. coupon, 107 1/2; 3s reg. 107 1/2; do. coupon, 107 1/2; new 4s reg. 107 1/2; do. coupon, 107 1/2; old 4s reg. 108 1/2; do. coupon, 108 1/2; 5s reg. 108 1/2; do. coupon, 108 1/2.

Bar silver, 52 1/2.

SUGAR.

Sugar—Raw—Steady; fair refining, 2 1/2 to 2 3/4; centrifugal, 96 to 100; molasses sugar, 2 1/2 to 2 3/4; refined, 3 1/2 to 3 3/4; crushed, 4 1/2 to 4 3/4; powdered, 4 1/2 to 4 3/4; granulated, 4 1/2 to 4 3/4.

Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5 1/2.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,500; market active; native steers, 4 1/2 to 5 1/2; Texas, 4 1/2 to 5 1/2; cows, 4 1/2 to 5 1/2; heifers, 4 1/2 to 5 1/2; calves, 4 1/2 to 5 1/2; sheep, 4 1/2 to 5 1/2; hogs, 4 1/2 to 5 1/2; pigs, 4 1/2 to 5 1/2.

Butter market is in very good shape. Demand good. Creamery (fresh domestic) per lb., 15 to 16 cents.

Poultry.

Hens, chickens, from 12 to 15c per pound.

Chickens, spring, wholesale, \$3 to \$4 per dozen, according to size, are becoming plentiful and prices will be lower.

EGGS.

Supply of eggs is good with 6.25 to 6.75 per case the ruling prices.

MEATS.

Pork, per lb., dressed, 3 to 3 1/2 cents; butchers, 3 1/2 to 4 cents; hams, 4 to 4 1/2 cents; shoulders, 3 1/2 to 4 cents; corned beef, 3 1/2 to 4 cents; veal, per lb., 3 to 3 1/2 cents; spring lamb, per lb., 3 to 3 1/2 cents.

FLOUR.

The following quotations are generally held by Utah millers. Oregon and some Utah flour is being sold at \$2.90 for high patent, \$2.80 for straight and \$2.70 for bakers.

High patent per cwt., \$2.80
Straight grade, per cwt., \$2.70
Baker's No. 1, per cwt., \$2.60

GRAIN.

Shorts, per cwt., \$1.50
Corn, per cwt., \$1.50
Wheat, per cwt., \$1.50
Barley, per cwt., \$1.50
Rye, per cwt., \$1.50
Oats, per cwt., \$1.50

HAY.

New lucern and timothy are coming in well.

Lucern, per hundred, baled, \$5.00
Timothy, per hundred, baled, \$5.00

GARLAND, WYOMING.

More Light on the Greybull Water-Right Controversy.

paid to river, 3.75@4.75; stockers, 3.00@4.50; bulls, stags, etc., 1.50@3.00. Hogs—Receipts, 350; Lower: light packers, 6.50@6.80; mixed, 6.50@6.70; heavy, 6.50@6.80. Sheep—Receipts, 700. Steady; good fat muttons, 3.00@4.00; lambs, 4.00@5.00.

PRODUCE.

NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 14.—Wheat—Receipts 97,750 bushels. The market yielded at first to better northwest crop news, easier cables and foreign selling, but later rallied on a scare of shorts. September 73 1/2 to 74 1/2; December 72 1/2 to 73 1/2; May 74 1/2 to 75.

SAN FRANCISCO.

San Francisco, Aug. 14.—Wheat quiet, 113; Spot, steady, 113 1/2 to 114. Corn—Large, yellow, steady, 1.37 1/2 to 1.42 1/2. Barley—Strong; Dec., 89 1/2; Cash, 95.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Aug. 14.—Close: Wheat, Sept., 10 11/16; Dec., 10 10/16.

WOOL.

St. Louis, Aug. 14.—Wool, firm; territory and western mediums, 16 1/2 to 17 1/2; fine, 12 1/2 to 13 1/2; coarse, 12 1/2 to 13 1/2.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

New York, Aug. 14.—Butter—Receipts, 7,000 packages. Quiet; state dairy, 15 1/2 to 16; creamery, 15 1/2 to 16; June creamery, 16 1/2 to 17; factory, 14 1/2 to 15.

Eggs—Receipts, 10,200 packages; dull; state and Penna., 20 1/2 to 21; western candled, 17 1/2 to 18; western uncandled, 15 1/2 to 16.

NEW YORK METAL PRICES.

Lead quiet, 4.12 1/2.
Copper weak, 11.50@11.70.

MESA, ARIZONA.

SUGAR BEET EXPERIMENTS.

Dixon-Connelly Nuptials—Rain in Southern Arizona.

Mesa, Maricopa Co., Arizona, Aug. 10.—At a meeting of the officers of the Home Dramatic company, held last night, it was decided to put on a play during the month of September, and a choice was made of the popular work of Milton Nobles, "The Phoenix."

As the first, and it will be under the management of F. T. Pomeroy.

DIXON-CONNOLLY NUPTIALS.

Mr. John Connolly of Lehi and Mrs. Laura Dixon of Mesa were yesterday united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McBrayer, says the Arizona Republican.

Bishop Hunsaker performed the ceremony. The wedding was a quiet affair, only a few of the friends of the couple being present. Mr. Connolly is one of our most enterprising young men, and with his father owns the store at Lehi. Mrs. Dixon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McBrayer, and is a very popular young widow.

BEETS MAKE SPLENDID SHOWING.

Mr. Johnson has figured out the average of the many beet sugar plots grown in the valley, numbering about twenty-five and planted in every part of the valley, and the result is somewhat astonishing and pleasing to the farmers.

The average is as follows: Sugar in juice, 15.85; purity, 81.00; tonnage, 17.00; making an average value of \$4 per acre.

At the stockholders' meeting of the Mesa Canal company, which held its session yesterday at 10 a. m., J. A. Stewart was chosen to represent the canal company and E. W. Wilbur and J. D. Loyer to represent the stockholders, to meet with the committee of twenty-five to initiate plans to secure government aid in the reservoir proposition.

THE BLESSED RAIN.

Travelers coming in from southern parts of the territory report that the country around Bisbee and Fairbanks has been visited by much needed rain, and that as a consequence the outcrops are again wearing contented smiles. The ranges have been almost dried up, and grass was not to be found on account of the continued drought. Other sections in the southern part of the territory have also had recent rain storms, and the desert will soon be covered by a carpet of green.

ELKS RATE TO THE COAST.

From Salt Lake City to either San Francisco or Portland and return \$38.50. Taking in both Portland and San Francisco, \$49.00.

Tickets on sale Aug. 15 and 16, good 30 days.

City ticket office 201 Main street.

PRIZE ELK AT SALT LAKE TODAY.

The great prize elk, which is to be presented to the most popular lodge is now on exhibition at the beach. Come and see his majesty and vote long and often.

Foresters of America Saltair, Aug. 15.

KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, Aug. 14.—Cattle—Receipts 9,000, including 1,500 Texans. Steady; lower. Native steers, 4.50 to 5.25; Texas and Indian steers, 2.25 to 4.00; Texas cows, 1.75 to 4.50; native cows and heifers, 1.50 to 4.75; stockers and feeders, 2.25 to 5.75; bulls, 2.25 to 4.50; calves, 3.50 to 5.75.

Hogs—Receipts 6,000. Market steady to the lower. Bulk of sales 6.70 to 6.85; heavy 6.85 to 6.95; packers 6.00 to 6.50; medium 6.70 to 6.80; light 6.50 to 6.65; yorkers 6.50 to 6.75; pigs 6.25 to 6.45.

Sheep—Receipts 2,500. Market steady. Muttons, 3.40 to 4.25; lambs, 3.